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As requested, we are transmitting, as attachments hereto, copies of the following documents, which were delivered by hand to Art Unit 1651 on September 26, 2003:

- (1) a Response with Amendment under 37 C.F.R. s. 1.111;
- (2) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, with form PTO-1449 listing references AA to AY; and
- (3) a Revocation and Power of Attorney with Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) (with copies of two (2) assignments attached).

Also attached hereto is:

- (4) a copy of a date-stamped receipt card evidencing receipt by the USPTO of the foregoing papers on September 26, 2003.

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RESPONSE WITH AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on July 25, 2003 (the "Office Action"), please consider the following amendments and remarks. Submitted concurrently herewith are: (1) a Revocation and Power of Attorney by Assignee with Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b); and (2) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with copies of the cited references and authorization for the required fee. No fees are believed to be payable in respect of the claims added herein. If any fee is payable, however, please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.